

REMARKS

The above amendment fully responds to the Final Office Action of June 9, 2009, by cancelling the only finally rejected claim, namely claim 32, all the other claims being allowable as indicated in the body of the Final action of June 9, 2009, confirmed over the telephone on June 16, 2009, and further confirmed in the Interview Summary of June 17, 2009. **Accordingly, the present application should now be in condition for formal allowance.**

As confirmed over the telephone and in the Interview Summary of June 17, 2009, the Office Action summary of the Final Action of June 9, 2009, is incorrect in paragraph 6 under the heading of "Disposition of Claims." Instead, all the claims are allowed except for claim 32 which has now been cancelled above. The above remarks include the substance of the telephone interview of June 16, 2009.

As indicated above, claim 32, the only claim rejected in the Final action, has now been deleted without prejudice to applicants' rights to pursue such claim and/or similar claims in a continuing application, if applicants choose to do so, without any penalty whatsoever, and relying on §§120 and 119.

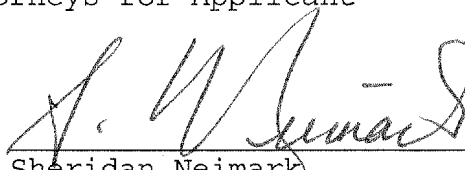
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All issues raised in the Final action having been addressed above, with only allowed claims remaining in the application, applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and entry of the amendment above cancelling rejected claim 32, and early formal allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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